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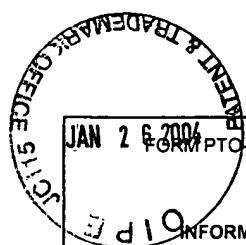
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Respectfully submitted,
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U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

EXAMINER INITIAL		DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	NAME	CLASS	SUBCLASS	FILING DATE (IF APPROPRIATE)
	1	4,789,174	12/06/1988	Lawwill			
	2	5,121,937	06/16/1992	Lawwill			
	3	5,226,674	07/13/1993	Buell et al.			
	4	6,203,042	03/20/2001	Wilcox			
	5	6,595,538	07/22/2003	Ellsworth et al.			

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

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EXAMINER INITIAL	OTHER DOCUMENTS (INCLUDING AUTHOR, TITLE, DATE, PERTINENT PAGES, ETC.)	
	6	Cannondale Gemini™ Bicycle Owner's Manual Supplement, IQMc/JCH 122601 #113646, 2001
	7	Cannondale Jekyll™ Owner's Manual Supplement, Publication No. 115808.PDF, August 2003
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